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have discussed meeting again to resume direct negotiations, but no date for such a 2 meeting has yet been set. The parties respectfully ask that they be given until June 15, or until the mediation 3 is completed, whichever happens first, to report back to the Court. 4 Respectfully submitted this 7th day of May, 2007, by counsel of record for each 5 party in this case 7 Dated: May 7, 2007 CENTER ON RACE, POVERTY, & THE 8 **ENVIRONMENT** Attorneys for Plaintiffs 9 10 By /s/ Luke W. Cole (consent given) 11 LUKE W. COLE, CBA 145,505 450 Geary Street, Suite 500 12 San Francisco, CA 94102 TELEPHONE (907) 277-1900 13 E-Mail: luke@igc.org Dated: May 7, 2007 HARTIG RHODES HOGE & LEKISCH, PC 15 Attorneys for Teck Cominco Alaska Incorporated 16 By ______/s/ Sean Halloran (consent given) 17 SEAN HALLORAN, ABA 9211080 18 717 K Street Anchorage, AK 99501 19 E-Mail: sean.halloran@hartig.com 20 21 Dated: May 7, 2007 LANDYE BENNETT BLUMSTEIN LLP Attorneys for Intervenor-Defendants 22 Northwest Arctic Borough 23 24 DAVID S. CASE, ABA 7505010 701 West 8th Avenue, Suite 1200 25 Anchorage, AK 99501 26 E-Mail: dcase@lbblawyers.com 27 28

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